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CHRISTIAN HERZIG ET AL.

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ALKENYL GROUPS AND USED AS ANTIMISTING  
ADDITIVES FOR SILICONE COATING COMPOSITIONS

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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§ 1.97-1.98, the references listed and identified on the attached Forms PTO/SB08A and/or SB08B are being submitted herewith for consideration by the Examiner. This Statement is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b).

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Accompanying the Information Disclosure Statement is the statement of Dr. Maria Deffner-Lehner describing the content of the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statement.

No copies of the listed U.S. patent references or the listed U.S. patent application publication references have been included herewith pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2). Consideration and entry into the record of the listed references is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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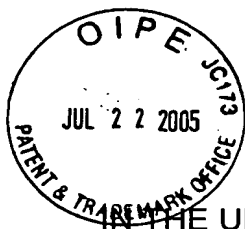
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Information Disclosure Statement

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir or Madam:

I, Maria Deffner-Lehner, associated with the preparation and prosecution of the above-identified application, residing at Meisenweg 12, 85591 Vaterstetten, Germany, wish to call the attention of the Patent Examiner to the references enumerated on the enclosed PTO Form-1449.

I believe the documents enumerated on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and attached thereto, are cited in the enclosed application, an Office Action of the German Patent and Trademark Office and the International Search Report and may be material to the examination of the application.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the foregoing Information Disclosure Statement be considered by the Examiner and incorporated into the file of this application.

I wish to comment as follows concerning the prior art references enumerated on PTO Form-1449:

WO 01/98418 A2, cited in the German Office Action, is enclosed.

WO 01/98420 A, cited in the International Search Report, is enclosed.

US 6,034,225 A, cited in the International Search Report, is enclosed.

EP 0 716 115 A2, cited in the application, is already in English language, is enclosed.

US 6,265,497 B1, cited in the application, is enclosed.

US 5,760,145 A, cited in the application, is enclosed.

US 5,691,435 A, cited in the application, is enclosed.

For DE 196 29 053 A1, cited in the application, an English Derwent Abstract is enclosed.

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US 524,034, cited in the application, is enclosed.

US 6,093,782, cited in the application, is enclosed.

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US 5, 698,655, cited in the application, is enclosed.

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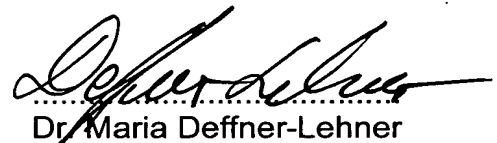
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US 6,258,913 B1, cited in the application, is enclosed.

US 5,866,707, cited in the application, is enclosed.

Signed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2005.



Dr. Maria Deffner-Lehner